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## NTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20301

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SUBJECT: Casualty Estimate (U)

TO:

Director

Central Intelligence Agency

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Washington, D. C. 20505

Attn:

1. (S) Reference the meeting held at your agency on 1 November 1965 concerning a request from the OSD for an estimate of the total number of civilian casualties resulting from the Rolling Thunder air strike

operations in North Vietnam.

2. (5) DIA support was requested during the referenced meeting. Specifically, this agency was requested to furnish that part of the estimate resulting from the armed reconnaissance strikes together with appropriate supporting text. The requested information is enclosed. FOR THE DIRECTOR:

ROBERT TAYLOR. 3D Major General, USAF 📐 Assistant Director for

Processing \_

1 Enclosure

Rolling Thunder Armed Reconnaissance Civilian Casualty Estimate Rationale (C),

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